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THE SHE-HULK



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Jennifer Walters was a shy attorney, good at her job and quiet in her life, when she was gunned down by criminals. A gamma-irradiated blood transfusion from her cousin, Dr. Bruce Banner, A.K.A. the Incredible Hulk, didn't just give her a second chance at life, but also super-strength and bulletproof green skin--and unbelievably gorgeous hair. She is the Sensational...

She- HULK

Previously...

Jen and Jack of Hearts' relationship has become increasingly strained since Jack's powers got a jump start. Between no longer being able to touch one another and Jack struggling to find purpose in his life, the once steamy romance is now more of a simmer. Fortunately, Jen's work life has been busy enough to keep her mind off her personal life. Between an increased caseload at Book Law Office and helping the Fantastic Four capture a thief as strong and elusive as he is handsome and charming, she's had her hands full!

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SHE-HULK IN "GIRL CAN'T HELP IT" PART 3



So, how's Jack?

Jack? He's fine.

PATSY WALKER, HELLCAT.
Private investigator and public nuisance. Founder of "Eat Cake in Fancy Dresses Wednesdays."

JENNIFER WALTERS, SHE-HULK.
Overworked. On call. Hasn't had a day off since Charles Soule wrote this book.

Fine? He's still all charged up and moping and giving you the Rogue/Gambit treatment, right?



I mean, yeah, there's still all that. But otherwise, he's fine.

He's taking some classes... cleaning up nuclear waste in his spare time...



You're being weird, Walters.

I'm not being weird.

You are. Trust me, I'm a detective.

Not the world's greatest...

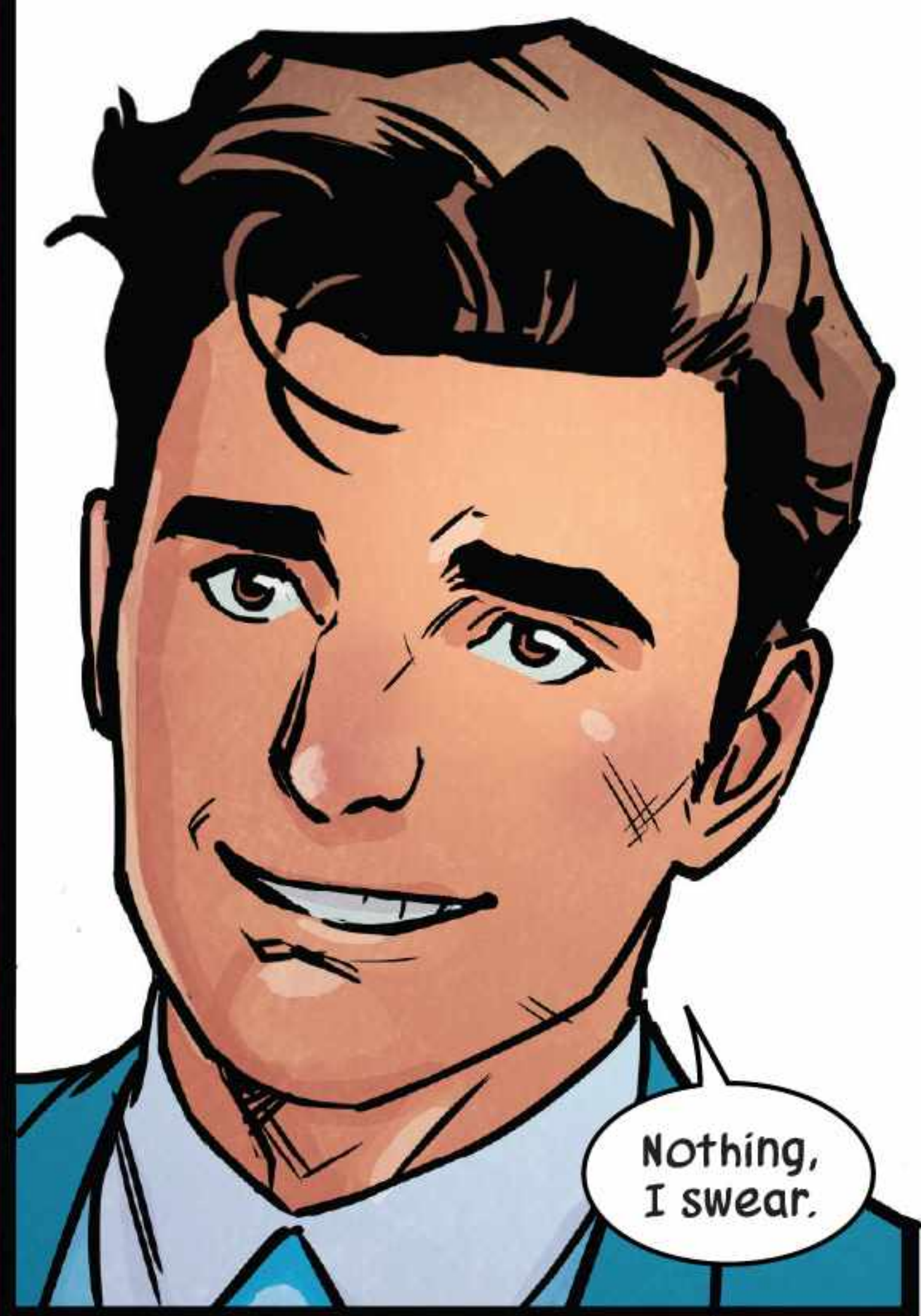
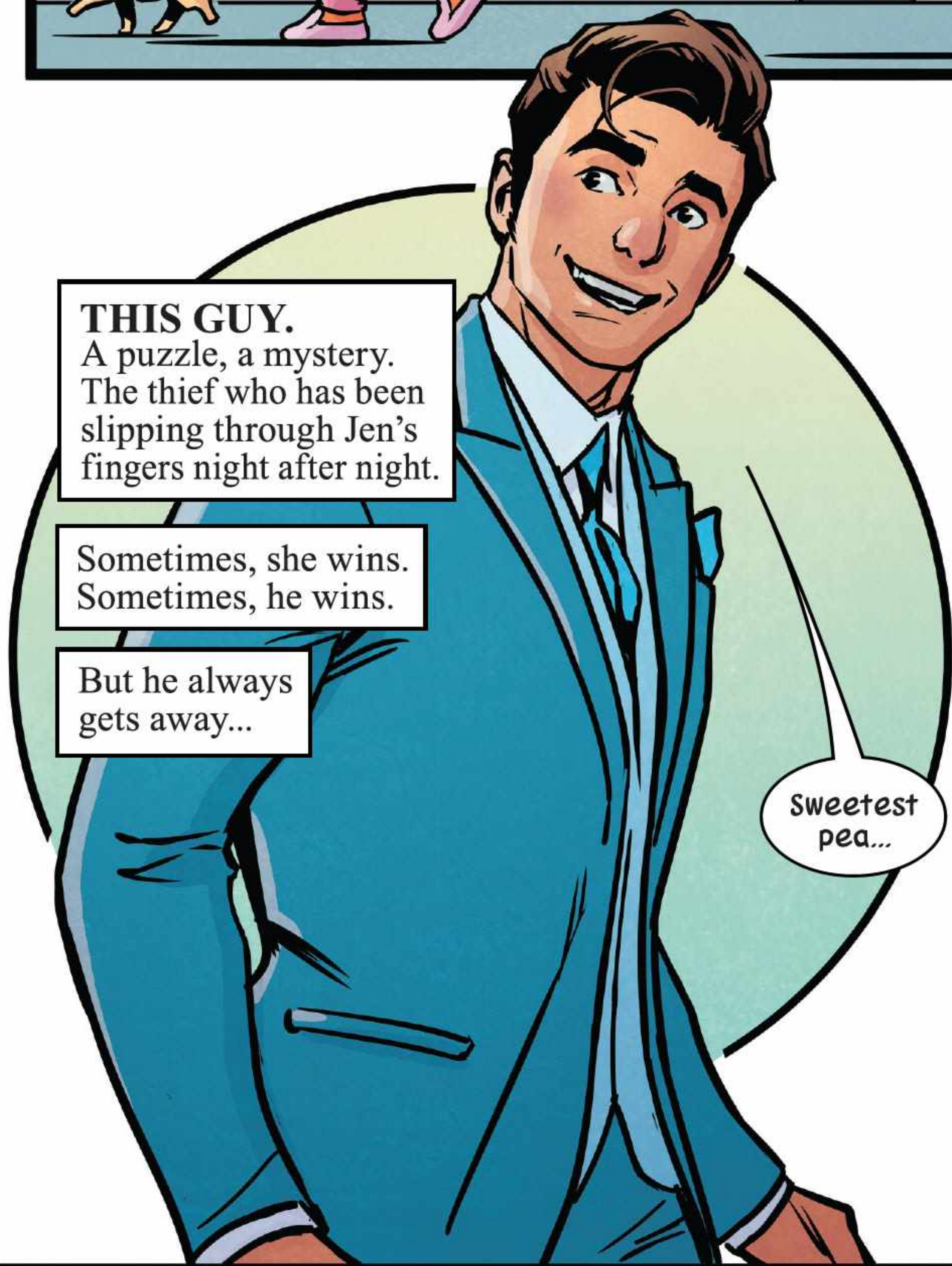


Are you seeing someone else?











I thought we could take a time-out. And just...talk.



Even if you're not stealing something right *this moment*, you're still Public Enemy No. 38. I should arrest you.



You can try...

...but you might get more out of a conversation.



Okay... Fine.

We take a time-out--a short time-out--to talk.

No punches. No sneaky plans. No lies.



I've never lied to you, green eyes. I'm not going to start now.





That was Patsy Walker, right? She's formidable. You would have had me outnumbered for once...

I--I mean--

You're not Patsy's problem.





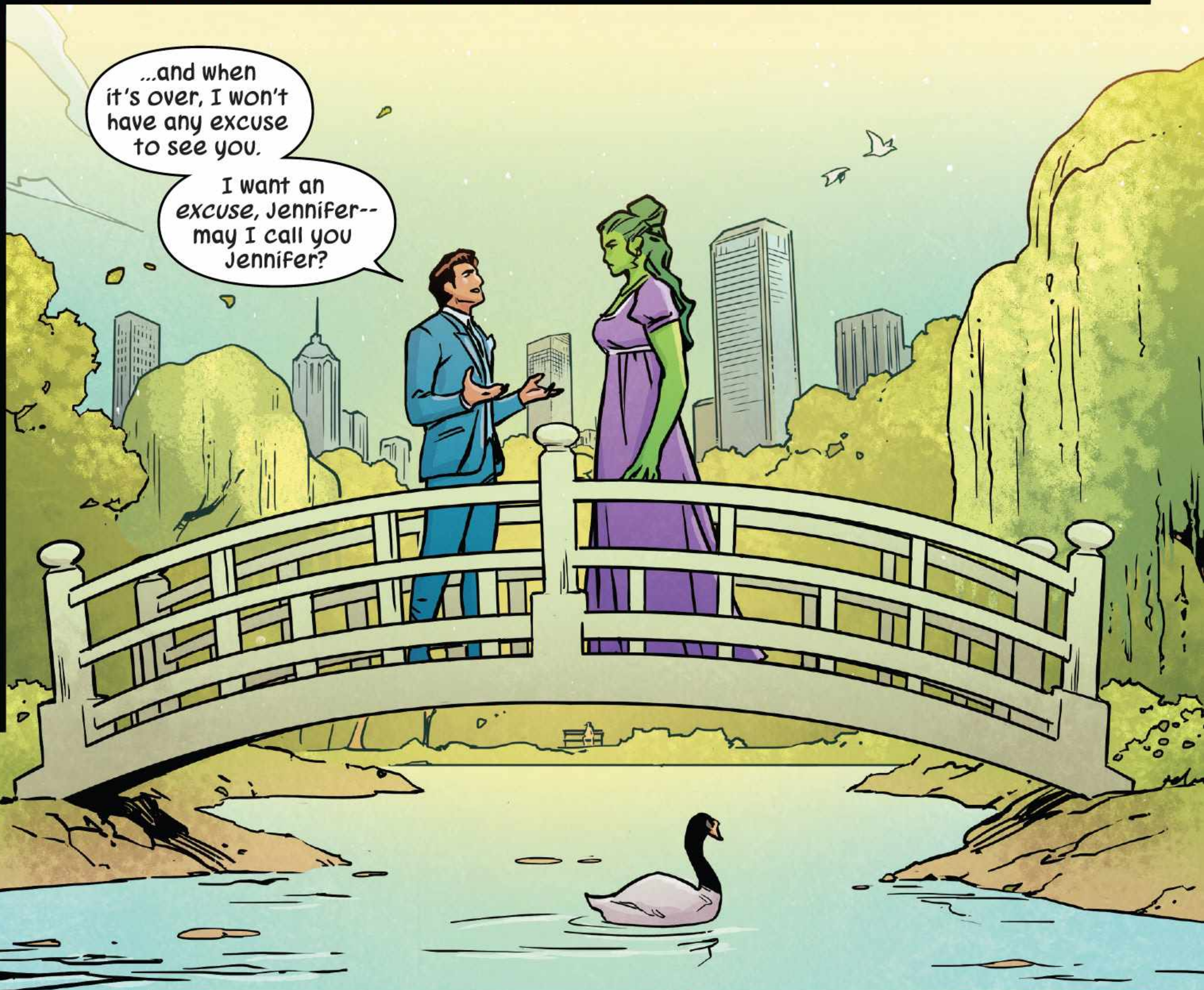
I'm almost done with my job...

Your job. Are you a mercenary?



...and when it's over, I won't have any excuse to see you.

I want an excuse, Jennifer-- may I call you Jennifer?



No. And what do you mean, "when it's over"?

You can't believe that you're going to get away with this.



Why not? Because the Fantastic Four will stop me? How is that going so far? Where are they now?

I mean, I assume you've called them... that you have a secret button in your bra or something.

But if they show up, I'll get away. I'm going to keep getting away.



I'm very, very good.



I think
our time-out
is over.



No. I'm
tired of fighting
you! I'm tired of
only fighting
you.
I have
other things
to offer.



Give me a
chance to
show you...



No
chance.



Life
is short,
She-Hulk.

Even
for people
like us.

Perhaps
especially
for people
like us.

And it's
so difficult to
make a true
connection...

To meet
someone
who feels...

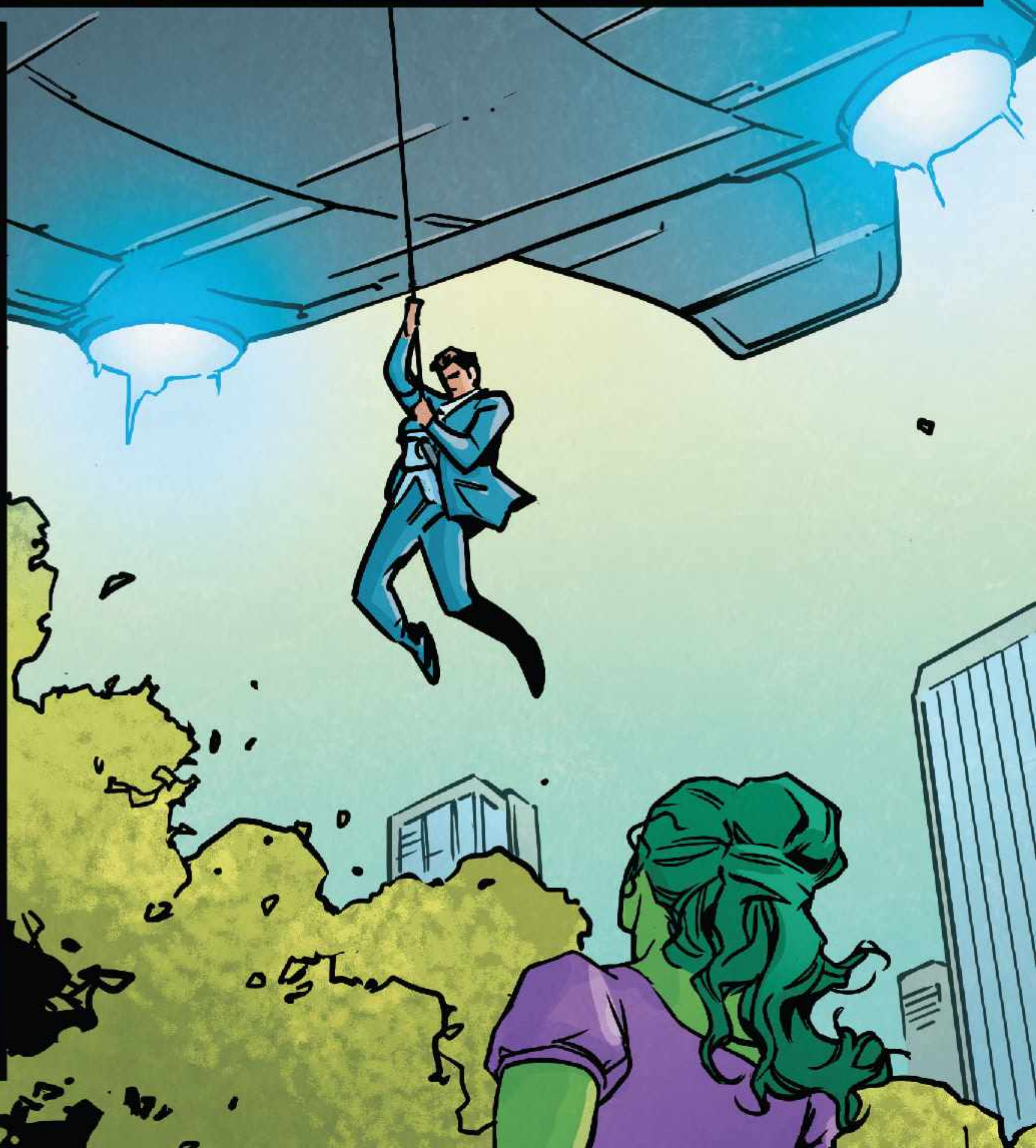
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Actual.



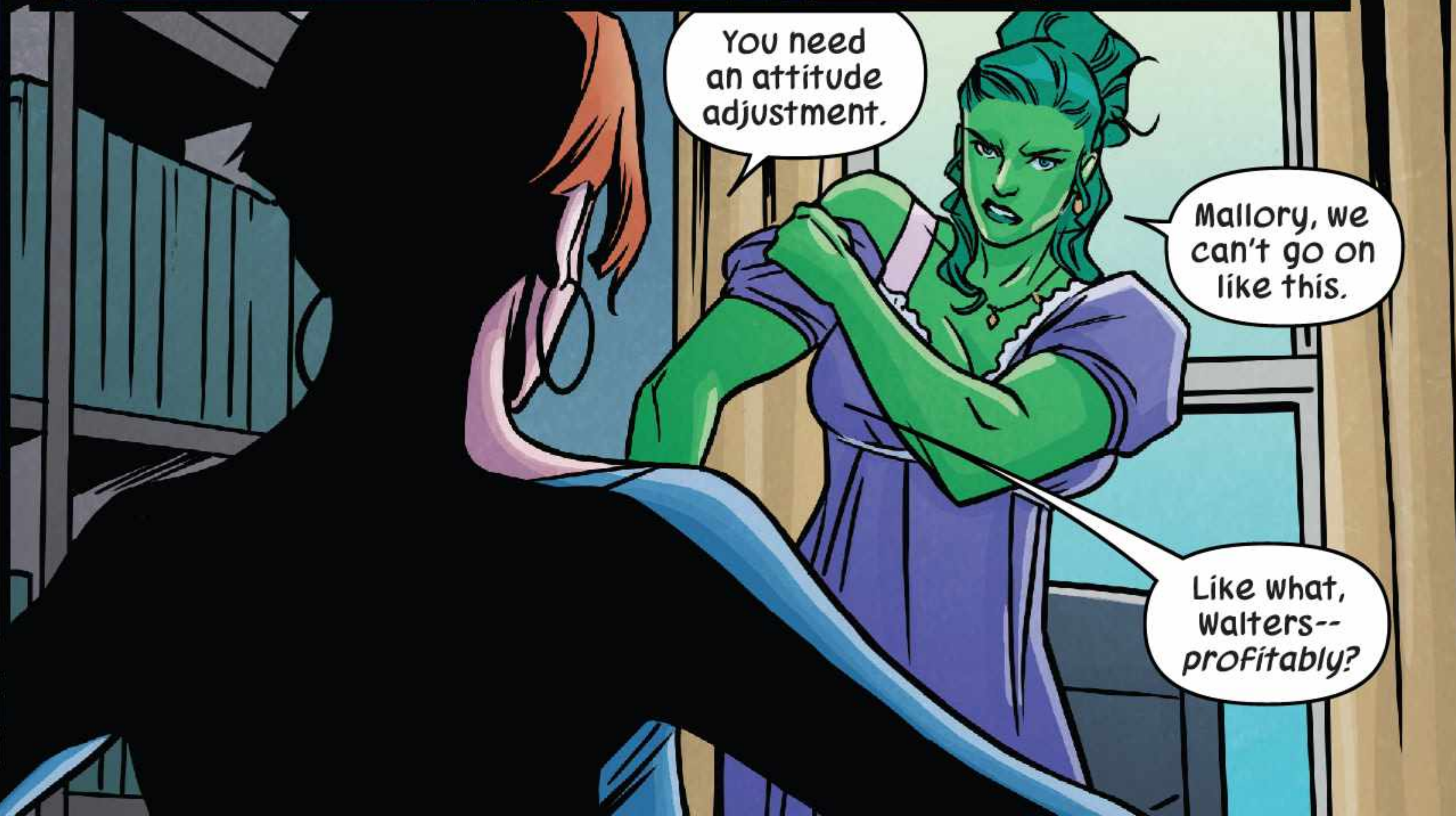
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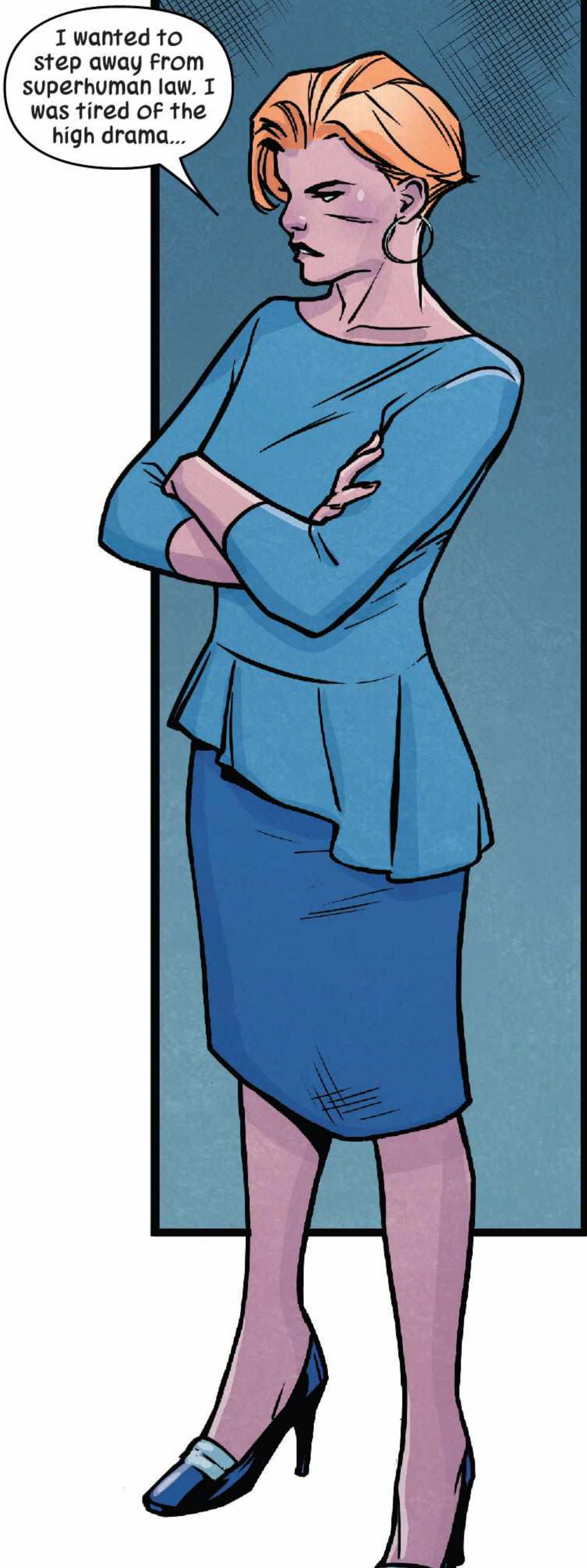




MALLORY BOOK.
Jen's current boss and former antagonist.



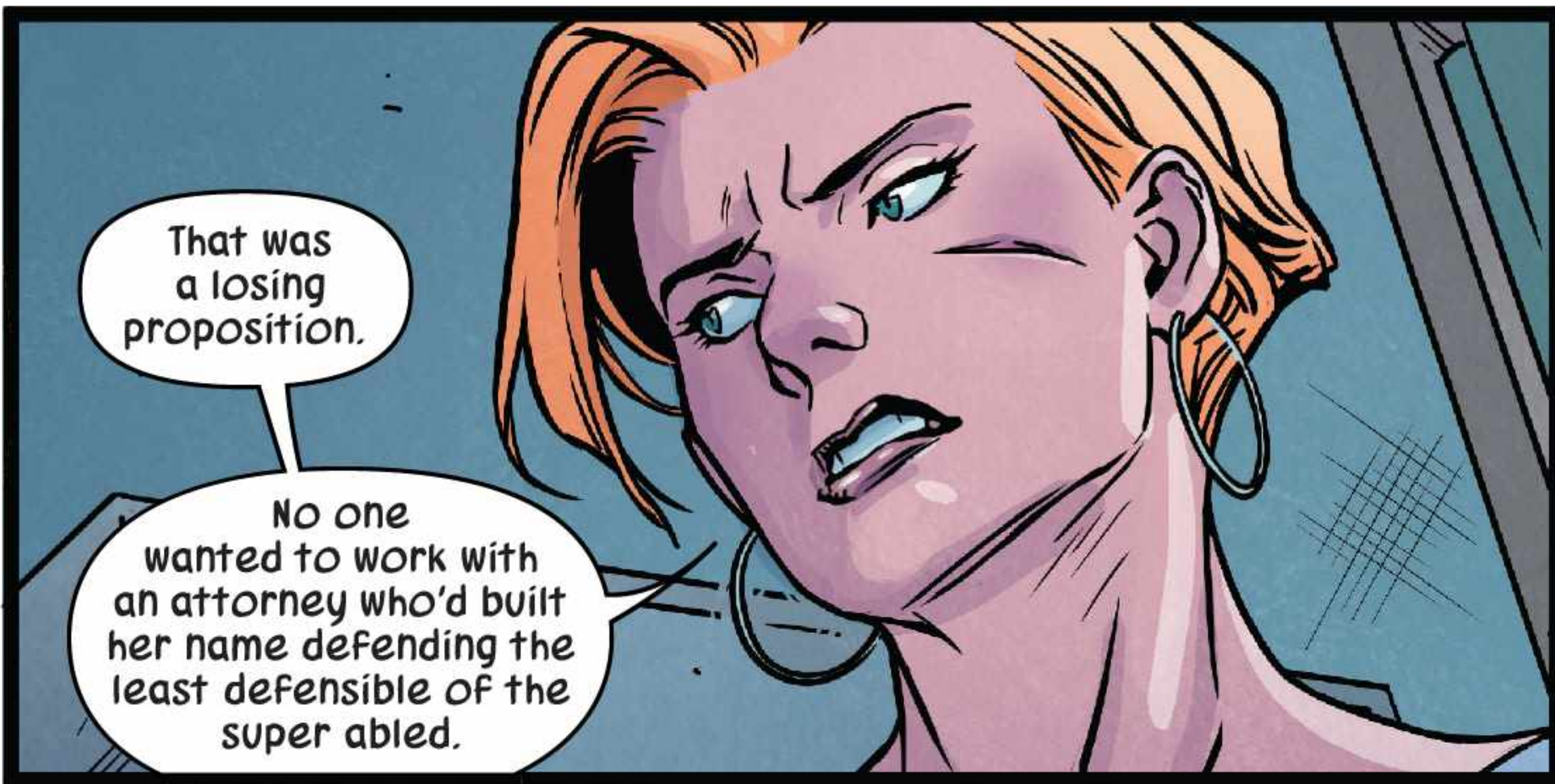




I wanted to step away from superhuman law. I was tired of the high drama...



...and the high risks.



That was a losing proposition.

No one wanted to work with an attorney who'd built her name defending the least defensible of the super abled.



Then in you walked. With all of your friends. And connections.



It turns out, no one wants to represent your type--good or evil or in between...



There's hay to be made in superhuman law--and I may as well be the one making it.

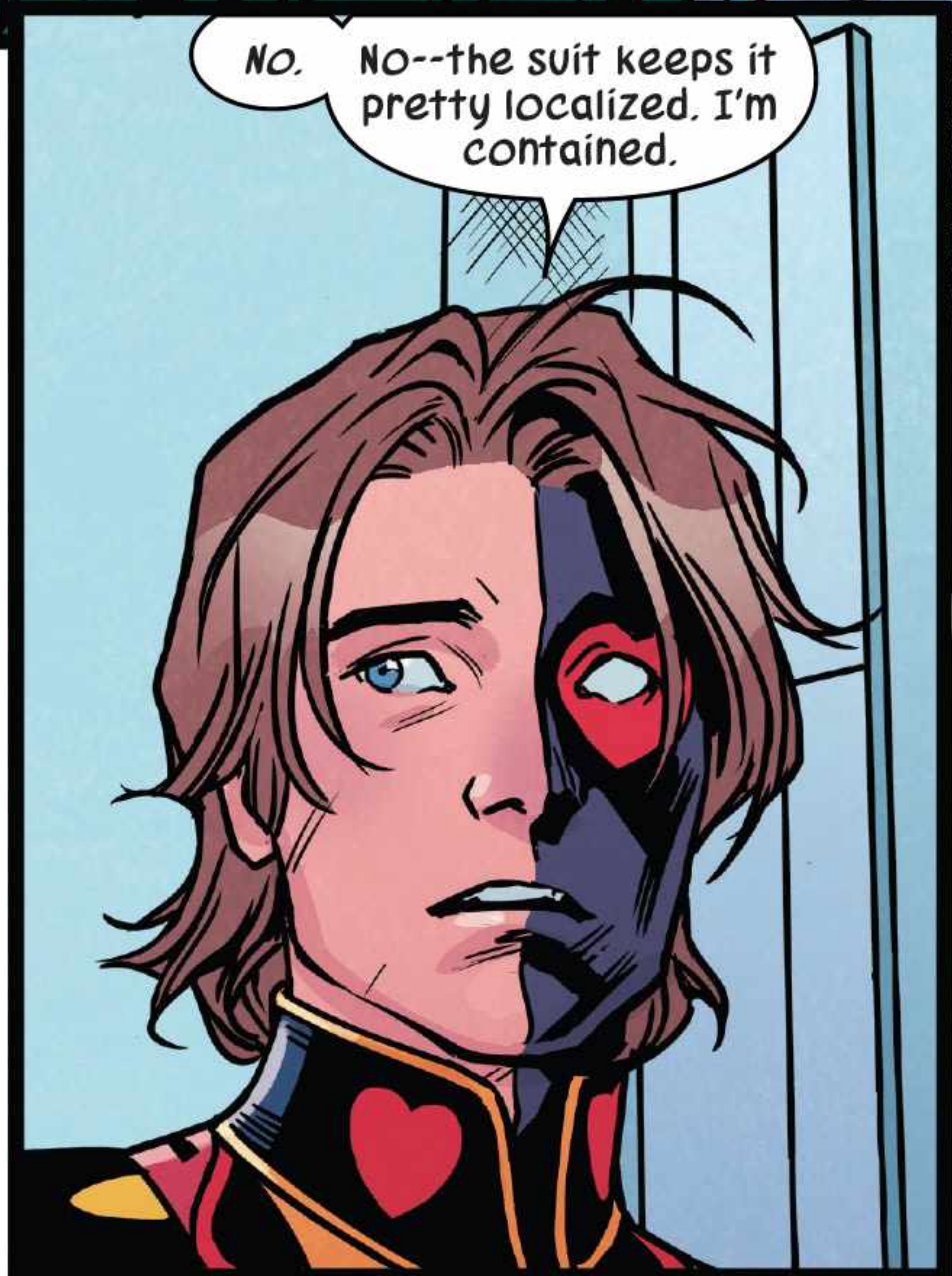


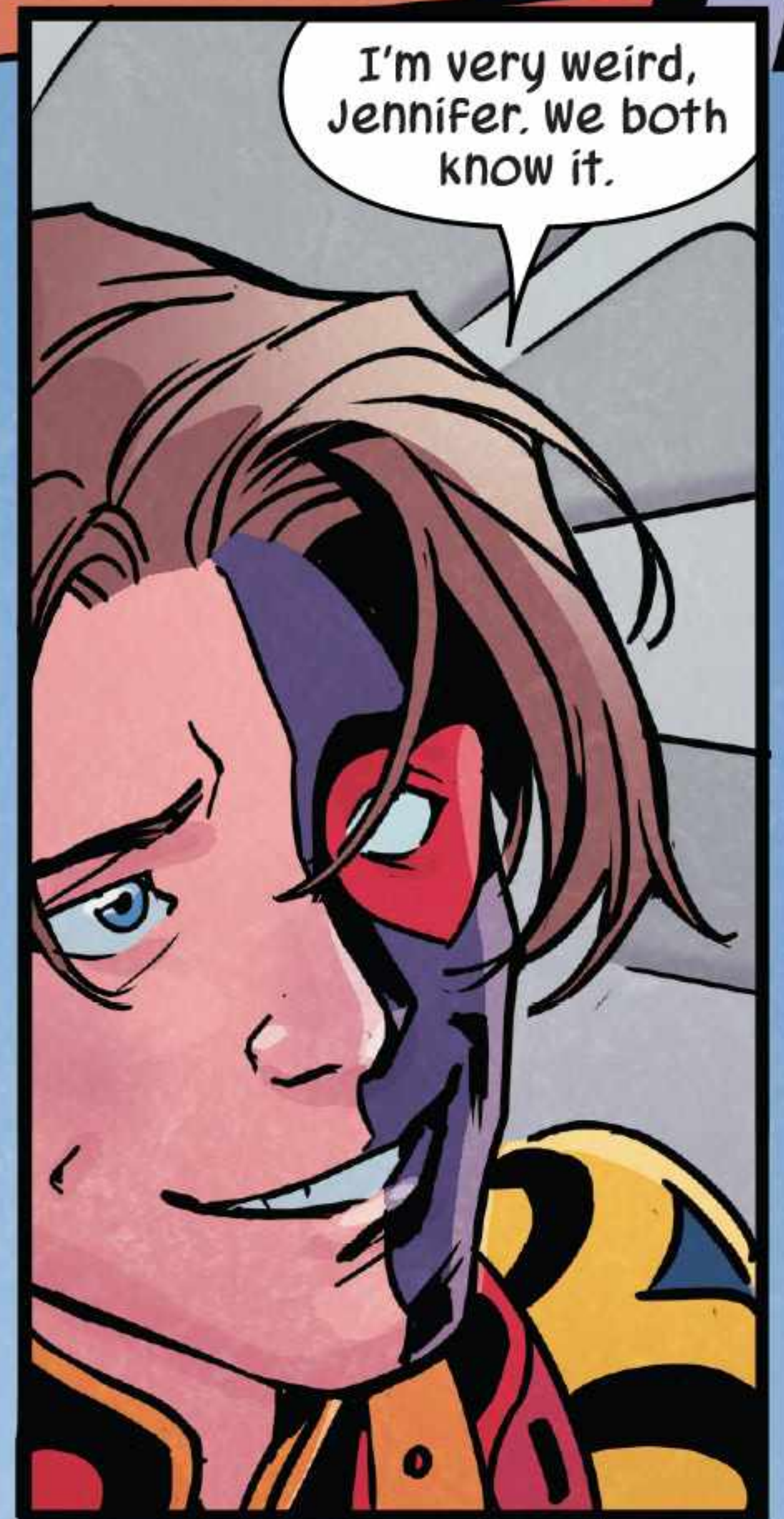


**JONATHAN "JACK" HART,
JACK OF HEARTS.**
Can contain the power of a sun in his chest.
Wears his heart on his sleeve.











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